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25X1 A list of certain prominent officers in the Rumanian military establishment follows:

25X1 a. Lieutenant General Leontin Salajan: Chief of the General Staff

25X1 b. Lieutenant General Jacob Teclu: Deputy Chief of the General Staff since 1951. Served with the old Royal Army; an infantryman

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25X1 c. Lieutenant General Romulus Costescu: Chief of Artillery since 1951. Served with the old Royal Army; an artilleryman and General Staff officer

25X1 d. Major General Mircea Paulina: Chief of Cavalry since 1950. Served with the old Royal Army

25X1 e. Admiral Gresescu¹ (fmu): Commander of the Navy since 1951. Served with the old Royal Navy

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f. Lieutenant General Stere Stefanescu: Commander of the 1 Military Region, Iasi, since 1951. Served with the old Royal Army; an artilleryman

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g. Lieutenant General Alexandre Gavrilescu: Commander of the 2 Military Region, Bucharest, since 1951. Served with the old Royal Army; an artilleryman and General Staff officer

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h. Major General Mihail Vasiliu: Commander of the 3 Military Region, Cluj, since 1951. Served with the old Royal Army; an infantryman

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i. Lieutenant General Nicolas Ciubotaru: Commander of the 1 Army Corps, Craiova, since 1951. Served with the old Royal Army; an infantryman

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j. Major General Alexandru Vasiliu: Commander of the 2 Army Corps, Braila. Served with the old Royal Army; an artilleryman

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k. Major General Otto Mircea Haupt: Commander of the Armored Corps "Tudor Vladimirescu", Bucharest, since 1949. Former officer-candidate in the old Austro-Hungarian Army; after the first World War, taken into the Rumanian Army as a lieutenant; infantryman

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25X1 l. Major General Alexandru Smirnov:

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m. Major General Miltiade Buzdea: Commander of the 6 Infantry Division, Iasi. Served with the old Royal Army;

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n. Major General Leonin² (fnu):Commander of the 1 Mountain Division,
Targul-Mures. Served with the old Royal
Army; an infantryman

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o. Major General Iosif Butoi:

Commander of the military academy. Served
with the old Royal Army, where he was
a General Staff officer

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1. [redacted] Comment. Probably Emil Grecescu, who [redacted]
was commandant of the Rumanian Navy since August 1949.2. [redacted] Comment. Probably Aurel Leonin, who [redacted]
was appointed commander of the 2 Alpine Division, Sinaia, in
25X1 1950.3. [redacted] Comment. This list is incomplete, but will be amplified.

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